Recommended ISLAND ANNEXATION PROCESS (Section 56375.3)

For Islands 150 acres or less, that meet certain criteria (see other side for criteria)

Without Protest Proceedings or Elections

PREPARE TO INITIATE ISLAND ANNEXATIONS

Contact LAFCO staff to discuss process, timeline and mapping requirements. Then, obtain Surveyor's Report & any required annexation area mapping from County Surveyor
 Apply pre-zoning designation to proposal area, determine if proposal includes Williamson Act lands, prepare CEQA analysis
 Obtain County Assessor's Report and determine which special districts to detach

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Optional but Recommended when Appropriate

FIRST PUBLIC HEARING WITH 21-DAY NOTICE

City Council Adopts Resolution to INITIATE Annexation pursuant to Government Code Section 56375.3

Set date for Second Public Hearing

SECOND PUBLIC HEARING WITH 21-DAY NOTICE City Council Adopts Resolution to APPROVE Annexation

FINALIZATION OF ANNEXATION BY LAFCO STAFF

Forward Certified Resolution and other required information to LAFCO
Annexation becomes effective on the date that LAFCO records the Certificate of Completion
(Generally, within 7-10 days of LAFCO receiving the complete application from city)